

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Young Min Kim et al.
Application No. : 10/535,231
Filed : July 24, 2006
For : A PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION COMPRISING AN
IMMUNOGLOBULIN FC REGION AS A CARRIER
Examiner : Ilia I. Ouspenski
Art Unit : 1644
Docket No. : 430156.402USPC
Date : August 14, 2008

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated May 16, 2008, please extend the period of time for response two months, to expire on August 16, 2008. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Applicants hereby elect the following species: **glycosylated region** as an Fc region; **IgG4 Fc fragment** as a specific Fc fragment; **PEG** as a specific non-peptide linker; and **erythropoietin** as a specific physiologically active polypeptide, for examination at this time.

Claims 1-13 read on these elections.

Consideration of the elected claims is now requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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